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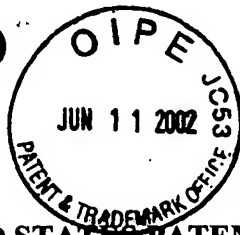
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First Named Inventor: CARPENTER, JAMES B.  
Application No.: 10/028838 Group Art Unit: 1731  
Filed: December 20, 2001 Examiner: Unknown  
Title: APPARATUS FOR SELECTIVE PHOTOSENSITIZATION OF OPTICAL FIBER

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Please charge the surcharge provided in 37 CFR § 1.16(e), and charge any additional fees, such as the enclosed Request for Extension of Time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3723. One copy of this sheet marked duplicate is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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